

THE WEATHER

Boston and vicinity—Rain last night and Sunday; clearing Sunday, increasing and windy. High 53.13; low 41.5. Wind S.W. 10 to 15 m.p.h. Temperature 53.13; low 41.5. Wind S.W. 10 to 15 m.p.h. Barometer 30.13; low 30.0. Rain 1.0. Light at 10.00 a.m.

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ALLIES TO PATROL ADRIATIC

24,197 U. S. WAR LOSSES

BAKER ORDER PARADE OF THE 26TH

ADRIATIC PATROL BY ALLIES

Niblack, of U. S. Squadron, to Keep Italians and Jugos-Slavs in Order

By International News Service. Washington, March 8.—An inter-allied force has been placed at the disposal of Admiral Niblack, commanding American naval forces on the Adriatic, with instructions that he take the steps necessary to prevent a repetition of the clash between Jugos-Slavs and Italians at Spalato, it was revealed in a dispatch to the Italian embassy from Paris this afternoon.

Following the clash, the cable states, the international committee of admirals issued the following proclamation:

"The international committee of admirals for the application of the clauses of the armistice in the Adriatic, has taken cognizance of the fact that order and safety do not exist in the city of Spalato. The officers belonging to one of the Allied nations have been molested.

"The committee, through Admiral Niblack, delegate of the United States, charged with the naval command of this, both civil and military, that the acts committed constituted a violation of the terms of the armistice and that a repetition will be prevented by force of arms.

FIVE BOYS HELD FOR \$53,000 ROBBERY

By International News Service. New York, March 8.—Five boys, whose ages range from sixteen to twenty years, are under arrest here today following the daring attack yesterday in the Wall street district on a bank messenger who was blacked-out and robbed of securities valued at \$53,000.

Thirteen Mignone, sixteen, the youngest boy of the five, is said to have confessed that he himself, together with his brother, L. N. Prince & Co., and robbed him of the securities, which included \$53,000 in Liberty bonds, certified checks to the value of \$14,000 and other valuable stocks.

The Mignone, twenty, and Anthony, eighteen, brothers of the other two boys, are under arrest with him. The other two boys are, Edward Andrian, seventeen, and Edward Andrian, twenty.

COUNSEL BATTLE TO FREE RICH MISS MORTIMER



Miss Edith Mortimer, wealthy society girl of Wheatley Hills, L. I., now on trial on manslaughter charge in auto tragedy. She is accused of running down and killing two workmen.

New York, March 8.—Reaching across the wide gulf of riches and social position, the hearts of twenty women met upon the common ground of sisterly sympathy in the Queens County Court.

The spirit radiating from this touching incident quickly permeated the entire atmosphere of the court room where Miss Edith Mortimer, pretty young society girl, is being tried for manslaughter for the death of two men run down by her automobile last October.

SOLDIERS POSING AS TAKEN IN RAIDS

Unbearable Women Flock to Ayer Following Disbanding of Vice Squad

By THOMAS F. PHELAN. Camp Trem, March 8.—Lieutenant Hamlin, law enforcement officer on training camp activities, Police Chief Beatty of Ayer and a detail of officers from the Department of Justice, commanded by Edmund K. Pond, raided several homes in the vicinity of this camp early today and arrested a number of young women.

In each of the homes raided soldiers from the camp were also found. The raid is the first step in a determined effort on the part of the authorities to rid the camp of undesirable women that have been pouring into the establishment from Plymouth, Shirley, Worcester, Boston and Providence during the past few weeks.

Some of these women have been found in the soldiers' barracks at night and midnight, which rendered them a nuisance in the early hours, have been a condition that the officers have tried in vain to cope with. Agents to Governor Coolidge and the Governor's council for an immediate reinstatement of the camp and the neighborhood, until March 1, have been made by Major-General McCallin, for the entry of the thousands of men who will pass through the cantonment in the next few months.

BERLIN REVOLT IS QUELLED BY TROOPS

London, March 8.—The counter-revolution in Berlin has been quelled by the Minister of War Gustave Niox, said a German wireless dispatch picked up here today.

Nebraska Due Here Monday at 6 A. M.

The U. S. S. Nebraska, which sailed from Brest February 15 with 1,251 troops, is due in Boston on Monday at 6 a. m. This was announced by Major Michael J. Moore, adjutant-general of the Northeastern Department. The contingent includes Battery F, 54th Regiment, C. A. C., which numbers ten officers and 120 men. Of the total passenger list, forty-three are officers, twelve civilians and four enlisted men not attached to any of the divisions on board.

PROFITEERS ON FISH FORCED TO CUT PRICES

Retail fish dealers throughout New England are watching the Boston American with eagle eyes. As soon as word of the new Boston American fish stores is opened in their vicinity they proceed to drop their prices. Not for years have prices been so low among fish retailers as in the vicinity of these stores.

The public is sick of being the victims of profiteers. They know that should the American fish stores—which they are not going to do—the retailer would at once raise his prices back to the same old high level.

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BAR MIDNIGHT TRAFFIC

ON BEACON STREET No more "sleepless nights" for Beacon streeters. Thanks to the Board of Street Commissioners, say these Back Bay residents.

It became known today, though not officially announced, that the board will, within the next few days, issue an order excluding all heavy traffic from Beacon street, from Charles to Massachusetts avenue, between the hours of 8 p. m. and 5 a. m.

Similar action will be taken in connection with Marlboro and Newbury streets.

TOTAL OF 24,197 U. S. WAR LOSSES

The battle casualties suffered during the war by the 26th Yankee Division were 8,955. This was officially announced today at Washington by General March, chief of staff.

He also announced the battle casualties in other divisions as follows:

Second Division, 24,429 battle casualties; 1st, 23,974; 3d, 16,356; 28th, 14,417; 32d, 14,268; 4th, 12,948; 42d, 12,252; 90th, 9,710; 77th, 9,423; 82d, 8,300; 5th, 8,280; 78th, 8,133; 27th, 7,940; 33d, 7,860; 35th, 7,745; 89th, 7,093; 30th, 6,893; 29th, 5,972; 91st, 5,838; 80th, 5,133; 37th, 4,303; 79th, 3,223; 36th, 2,397; 7th, 1,346; 92d, 1,399; 81st, 1,062; 6th, 285, and 88th, 63.

The total battle casualties in the army were 240,197. This includes killed in action, wounded and missing in action and prisoners.

1,390,000 Yankees Faced Germans on Battlefield

By International News Service. Washington, March 8.—The military establishment of the United States will be maintained at 509,000 officers and men until Congress enacts legislation providing otherwise, General Peyton C. March, chief of staff, announced at his weekly conference with press representatives today.

General Pershing, he said, has been instructed by the War Department to enlist men for the regular army and assign them to regular organizations in France, thus releasing an equal number of men who enlisted only for the duration of the war. Referring to the many estimates that have been published as to the number of Americans who actually faced the enemy, General March made public figures compiled with press representatives today.

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BERLIN STRIKE SITUATION UNCHANGED

London, March 8.—The strike situation is unchanged in Berlin and no newspapers are being published yet, according to a German wireless message picked up here today.

PLOT TO OVERTHROW HUNGARY REPUBLIC

Zurich, March 8.—A plot to overthrow the new republic in Hungary and restore the Emperor to the throne has been discovered and frustrated in Buda Pest, according to advices reaching here today. Baron Hazai, Count Bethlen and Count Somich have been arrested.

ABINGTON THEATRE Formerly Castle St. Charles's Aunt

Real Danger Follows Grip The weather following grip is a danger to you can avoid by taking Father's Medicine. All your medicines—Adm.

Heroes of the "Y.D." Tales of Glory of the 26th Division

By BERT FORD
NEW ENGLAND'S OWN WAR CORRESPONDENT

EXCLUSIVELY IN THE BOSTON AMERICAN Beginning Next Monday, Mar. 10

MOTORISTS PROTEST SCHEME

So views William A. Thibodeau of the Automobile Legal Association the bill of Mayor Peters providing for the tripling of auto registration fees in Massachusetts. The Mayor asks that the money thus raised be distributed half and half, one-half to be kept by the State, the other half to be distributed among the municipalities of the State.

ately 200,000 automobiles of all classes, supported by 300,000 automobile owners. The triple fees mean an additional burden on each autoist of about \$20 annually on an average.

"A large part of the extra tax will fall on the poorer man. From one-quarter to one-fifth of all the pleasure cars in Massachusetts are owned by men earning not more than \$1,500 annually. One-third of the pleasure cars are owned by men earning not more than \$2,000 annually.

CHARGES CLASS LEGISLATION.

This bill is introduced by the Mayor of Massachusetts or of the town authorities and is proposed and sponsored only by the Mayor and by the city of Boston. In anticipation of a very heavy deficit in its revenue because of the loss of liquor licenses next year. I think that is all there is behind the bill. It is wholly unfair and without a single redeeming feature."

ports Africa, and Mount Vernon, carrying some 7,500 additional officers and men of the Twenty-seventh (New York) Division, have sailed from Brest and are due at New York on March 13. It was announced at the War Department that Mount Vernon was the following organizations of the 27th: 102nd supply, sanitary and ammunition trains and the military police, a total of 2,645 men, together with the 1st General James D. Glennan. On the America are the 105th, 104th and complete 1st Field Artillery Regiments, 104th and 105th Engineers, 104th Hospital 105, a total of 192 officers and 4,536 men.

650 copies of "The Revolutionary Age, a Socialistic paper published in Boston, were distributed here today by a mysterious stranger who boarded a train of the Boston & Maine. The train carried about 1,000 workmen of the L. & M. shipyard, and it stopped at a two-minute stop here. The train crew immediately "spotted" the stranger and went through the train, collecting the literature, persuading passengers to give up copies which they held. All copies confiscated were burned. A special agent of the Department of Justice is making an investigation.

has been associate general counsel of the alien property custodian for the last year, has sailed for Europe as the official representative of the alien property custodian to advise the American Peace Mission in all matters affecting the final disposition of enemy property.

Chicago, March 8.—Guests in the home of Mayor William Hale Thompson were forced to flee a fire last night, while firemen carried several other occupants of the apartment building down ladders. The loss is estimated at \$500,000.

DO YOU KNOW THAT?

If Mayor Peters' bill to increase auto fees is passed you will have to pay

- \$10** in addition to the present fee of \$5 for automobiles up to 20 h. p.
- \$20** in addition to the present fee of \$10 for autos of 20 to 30 h. p.
- \$30** in addition to the present fee of \$15 for autos of 30 to 40 h. p.
- \$40** in addition to the present fee of \$20 for autos of 40 to 50 h. p.
- \$50** in addition to the present fee of \$25 for autos of 50 h. p. and up.
- \$4** in addition to the present fee of \$2 for motorcycles.

Or approximately \$2,000,000 annually for which you will receive nothing?

**Mansfield Buys Back
Fernecroft Inn of**

The jury in the "Foodies" suit against Mass. agreed. Later, when a decision was reached, wrote by Miss Ryan was said to have received \$1,550. Mannfield sold to Max Ward and went to New Rochelle, N. Y. "Forty-five Minutes from Broadway." There he has been running an automobile roadhouse.

circumstances, showing that 1,390,000 tanks actually faced the Germans in the field of battle.

Of this number, he said 1,100,000 were divisional troops, 310,000 corps and army troops, 39,000 service or supply troops.

Demobilization of the American army to date now totals 1,251,528 officers and men, General March said.

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**BOSTON LAGGING IN
WORK FOR NEAR EAST**

A drive for \$1,000,000 as Boston's contribution to the national fund for the American Committee for Relief in the Near East will open March 21. Headquarters, outside of Boston, will raise \$500,000, and it is hoped that Boston will contribute the balance of \$500,000 in the nation-wide campaign.

Massachusetts headquarters of the committee is in the Little Building. Dr. Clarke Pomeroy is in charge, and Mrs. Pomeroy is secretary.

at Boston is behind other sections of the country in taking hold of the campaign. The greater part of the aid will be devoted to the work of relief in Armenia, although other sections of the Near East will come in for assistance.

James of Newton, who died Aug. 22, 1818, was \$150,000 in personal property and \$100,000 in real estate, and the inventory of the estate of Charles H. Child of Natick, who died Sept. 20, 1818, showed personal property amounting to \$28,390.15 and real estate worth \$60,000.

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Patrick O'Toole was found guilty in the Boston court on the charge of receiving pilfer of ironware and several pilfers of gloves and hats from the Boston Police.

Acting Mayor Barrett Declares Men Who Won the War Should Be Rewarded

Acting Mayor James T. Barrett of Cambridge, who as president of the Common Council is assuming the reins of government in the temporary absence of Mayor Quinn, now is

"Six months ago we would cheerfully have promised that much to our fighting men if they would only win the war for us," declared President Norris of the trade board.

The sentiment in favor of this petition is sweeping New England, according to Thomas F. Bailey, district

The Moose are joining with the Eagles, with labor organizations, with patriotic, veteran and fraternal organizations and with thousands of individuals, including heads of organizations, city officials, judges and citizens associations in praising and endorsing the plan to secure at least six months' extra wages for the men who fought to make democracy a reality in the world.

Acting Mayor Barrett points out that six months' pay is so small in comparison with what the boys were willing to give, and thousands did give—their lives—that there should be no hesitancy on the part of a generous government in bestowing it as a reward.

Soldiers and sailors themselves declare that the government could do nothing better to allay the unrest and dissatisfaction of discharged servicemen who are without work or money than to give them this bonus. Many of these men have no homes, and when they are at the end of their small resources they face the streets to beg.

cost more during the past two years than we wished. While necessary, it is prohibitive.

We approached the pre-war appreciation of the forces during this vital period.

our customers direct us

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INC.

**Boston
and New York**

Sign this petition, get your friends to sign it, and forward it to the Boston American, 80 Summer st., Boston, Mass.
To the Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War:

We urge this as an act of simple justice by a great nation to its heroes.
(Signed)

The Holders' Service Bureau of the Boston American has been established for the purpose of giving help to the officers and sailors of the United States Navy.

The department is doubly silent. It is not operated as a question and answer column, but is working in connection with similar bureaus in New York, New Orleans, Atlanta, Georgian, Chicago Herald and Examiner, San Francisco Examiner and the Angeles Examiner. The headquarters is in Washington.

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SPECIAL
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Each loaf
bears this bond

YOU know what you eat when you eat Bond Bread. On the outside wrapper of every loaf of Bond Bread, all ingredients are stated and guaranteed.

They are the same pure materials as are used in best home-made bread—no substitutes. In fact, Bond Bread is copied after the best home-made product of 6405 New England housewives.

Once for all, Bond Bread settles the Bread Problem.

★ So-named because guaranteed by the Bond of the General Baking Company

**Chelsea Policeman Testifies
in Death of Peter
Archook**
Testimony that assassin was found

Duggin testified that following the death of Archcock he had gone to the

Following the testimony, Kroll and Mrs. Archhook were remanded to the Chelsea jail without bail for hearing next Thursdays.

**N. H. SOLONS PROTEST
AT TIME WASTERS**

ARNES CO.
Sweaters

Shetland Sweaters

Shetland Sweaters with sailor collar, sash and hand-crocheted buttons; most attractive range of solid colors, also striped and contrasting color trims. We would have to ask \$9.00 each for these sweaters if bought in the regular way, but an overstocked jobber accepted our cash offer, enabling us to offer these at the exceptional **\$5.50** price of

SPECIAL SALE
Imported and Domestic
Voiles

USUAL PRICE
75c, \$1, \$1.25.
SALE PRICE.. **59c**

Woven colors. Patterns are cross bar checks, chestnut checks, chestnut and blue checks.

grounds checked with colors and several styles in black and white.

SILK HOSIERY
FOR WOMEN

It runs well in a clear, even weave, has a seam in the back, and makes a satisfactory substitute for All Thread Silk Stockings at one-half their price. In black and in white. Per pair

\$1.25

... good medium weight, special reinforcement in foot and
garter top. Colors: black, white, cordovan, seal, brown,
navy blue, taupe and medium grey. Per pair..... **\$2.25**

SALE OF
MEN'S HALF HOSE

All sizes in mahogany brown, natural, champagne and white. **35c**
 Special price, per pair
 3 pairs \$1.

R. H. STEARNS CO.

W. H. STEARNS & CO.

"The Molluso" is not exactly a novelty in Boston. It was done here some years ago by the late Sir Charles Wyndham. The Barry playlet, if I am not mistaken, has not been given in

Technique. Harlequin.
 Joseph Smith, stage director of "Take Us From Me," is one of the few men still on the stage in this country who can qualify as a Harlequin.
 A Harlequin wears a costume of diamond squares of many colors. He wears a rusk and a wand. Harlequin is a clown, a jester, a fool.
 It also is composed of several elements of different colors.
 My father, the late George W. Smith, who has been stage manager during a few momentary leisure, "was one of the greatest Harlequins of his day and he lived the most of his life. Believe me, it was work. Anyone who has learned the art of doing so much in so little time."

"A harlequin must be a good pantomimist, a dancer and an acrobat. Perhaps the most difficult feat is to whirl in the air with his feet off the ground. In doing a double somersault an acrobat takes a running start and jumps several yards away. The harlequin jumps straight up into the air, does the somersault and lands back almost on the same spot.

"The art was won to descend from father to son, but it is practically forgotten for it is too hard, too dangerous and not sufficiently remunerative.

"However, once you have learned it, you don't forget it. I am forty years old but I can still do the triple turn. It's a gift."

Mrs John Bucks Tradition.
Florence Johns, who is now playing Peggy Lawrence in "The Crowded Hour," is giving an excellent performance of one of the most unusual characters in modern drama. Mrs. Johns differs sharply with the ordinary actress because she believes that this is a role which can be played without feeling and living the part.

"Through my early days in the profession I cherished the belief so common in those that to get the best

And when I played in stock I used to find myself positively exhausted at the end of a week while those about me were unruined. I now believe that the actress who can stand at one side and watch and study her own work is more likely to succeed than the girl who plunges into the role and tries to live it."

New Leading Woman for Arlington
A new leading lady makes her debut

At the Arlington next Monday in the person of Ruth Robinson, who played the heroine of "The Lion and the Quaker" at the Lyric, and who is touring with the Morosini Stock in Los Angeles, with several Pot stock companies and with other companies, she has played a superb company.

It is a curious coincidence that the high male part of "The Lion and Quaker" was played by a famous and popular actress who ever played the Castle Square, Edmund Bressa. In the same way, the role of the Quaker will take Mr. Bressa's role.

Not Worshipping About Jotm.

The difficulties of the ending to the animated man back to civil occupations are non-existent with the members of the U. S. Jazz Band, the organization of musicians who originally were formed among the boys stationed at Boston and who later on when they gave their concert in the city, they were given a high position.

and abroad. And now their fame has spread and they are playing in the largest cities for some time to come, so there is no sign of their popularity diminishing. And as they were welcomed home, again they are to give a Theatre "smorgasbord" evening.

They are riding the high wave of popularity of jazz music. This band is famous among many cities. It was founded by Emanuel A. J. Moore, it was extensively to Amusement City. None of its original members are left, but it has a new and better than a local band that would play for a short time and then be swallowed up by the next band.

Whether it was the genius of the theatre, or the genius of the jazz men, or both, this band played jazz music no superior to other military bands. It was a real thing, a real sensation that it was looked upon as the best of its kind in this field.

WILBUR THEATRE

William Collier will be seen in a new play called "Nothing But Lies" at the Wilbur on Monday night. If you are

seeking approval in your interaction
ment, you had better not go to see
"Nothing But Lies." You will be sorry
if you didn't see this play, for it has
just finished an all season run at the
Laurel Theatre in New York.

"Nothing But Lies" is a farce and
was written to create laughter. Given
this country's leading comedian ought
to make one a fairly good judge of
play, Mr. Collier thinks "Nothing But
Lies" is one of the best laugh-making
plays he has had and he is slaking his
experience and artistic judgment on the
verdict of the playgoing public.

No better cast of farcure was ever



WASHBURN, PAULINE FREDERIC
WYCON, MOPARN

spirited farcical comedy headed by
begins its fifth week of big business
department store.
tern," begins his twelfth week at the
clean, musical comedy with a great
"Hello, Alexander," commence their
musical vaudeville" and extravaganza
such entertainment. Majestic.
in departs from the Park Square. A
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Copley. A bright, English comedy of
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for a fortnight of keen pleasure for
the laughter-loving public.

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him to America. There he finds a generation through a lovely American girl. The adventures follow and he seeks to marry his half brother. To prevent this, the artist makes an appointment with her, to which the brother calls the artist's dance. In this scene is the big thrill of the play. The artist, however, justifies himself and all ends happily.

Mr. Tellegen is bringing with him an excellent company of players including the artists who have appeared with him during his New York engagement. The cast includes

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mission that she meets with the greatest of trials that eventually precipitate a crisis which in the end is strong drama.

Dorothy Phillips, a favored star of the screen, through her ability to depict emotional roles, is the leading player pictured, and the supporting cast includes such well-known players as William Stowell, Pat O'Malley, Robert Anderson, Margaret Mear, Walt Whitman, George Baldwin, George Backlund and Gloria Jean. The production is directed by John Holubar. Next to be performed is a vaudeville. Another performance begins at 11:15 and evenings at 11:35.

"THE BIG CHANCE"

Marjory Nash will make her debut as a full-fledged star in the leading role of "The 13th Chance," the play which comes direct from the long New York run with the same title. She will appear on March 17. Miss Nash plays the role of a girl from New England who comes to New York with her sweetheart despite the convention that she is to marry a man who is about as worthless as himself. Her secret hope is to win the girl for his own. The play is a comedy and the girl reveals it as "the big chance for all of them."

Miss Nash will have in association with well-known players as William Morris, George Fawcett, and, in the role of her sweetheart, Anne Mack Babin. Katharine Harris Barrymore was the first to play the role.

GORDON'S OLYMPIA.

There is a widespread interest in the announcement that the new version of "Common Clay," the Harvard prize play, starring beautiful actress Gladys Hulette, will be shown this week at Gordon's Olympia.

Clives Kinkadee, the author, is said to have taken as the key note the

Kipling's poem, which reads:
"For the Colonel's lady and Judy
O'Grady
Are sisters under the skin."
and indeed through the course of the
drama this fact is readily apparent.
Fannie Ward has starred in many
powerful dramas, but in "Comm-
"play" she eclipses every previous
effort of emotional action.
It would be hard to pick a more
splendid bill of vaudeville than that
provided for this week; it sparkles
with vivacity. The always popular

FORTUNE AND
FAME IN
6 YEARS

Among film stars who have advanced to the first rank in a comparatively short time, Norma Tompkins stands out pre-eminently. Six years ago, this now famous actress of the screen was a mere child with a suddenly conceived ambition to become a motion picture actress.

"I had to do something," Miss Tompkins says, "and one day I breezed into a studio and, to my own great surprise, I was accepted."

surprise was given a part. In the picture, she plays the film actress; the art of the cinema was in its infancy. "Everybody," quoted the *Los Angeles Times*, "got twenty-five dollars a week, and my first pay day came around Tuesday." She found the money there she found the actual money there I took home and asked my mother if I thought this could really be "an actor."

Her new picture, "The Probationary Wife," will have its first showing at the Orpheum Theatre the last day of next week.

Got a Scar.

When Bryant Washburn, the motion picture star, was told that Mack Thurman was to have an important role in his new photoplay, "The Boob," which will have its first B. M. showing all of next week at the Beacon Theatre, the extremely well-placed, for he remembered the character of this well-known Mack Sennett

dance player.
During the making of the picture at the studio, but he couldn't find her. "The director told me she was in the building," says U.S. Jazzy Band director It was all a mistake that she was in the building. "Poor Bessie!"

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"There she is over there, you're going to have a scene with her." Wambauer looked—and saw—Bessie. She was sitting on a bench at least 200 paces. At first thought he was either mad or had lost his mind. The form was like a life form.

He recalled the script, and remembered that the part she played was the same as the one that he who had changed for the worse during the passing of the years. And he knew that the form was successful.

U. S. JAZZY BAND CONCERT

The U. S. Jazz Band, with Ensemble All Stars, will give a concert at a farewell concert of jazz music at the Tremont Theatre tomorrow night. This band of musicians which has

States Navy service during which time it was rated as the best jazz band in the world, is departing for short concert tour before its members retire to civil life. At its welcome home concert, which was at the Colonial Theatre two weeks ago, the demand for tickets was so great that enough patrons were unable to procure tickets to fill the house two over. So in order to meet the general demand, this concert has been arranged for the Tremont Theatre.

YOU TELEGEN AND MIRIAM
SEARS IN "BLIND YOUTH" TREMONT
MAR "HELLO"

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NOBODY TALKING
OBAMA/LEWIS

...surprise, was given a part." In those days when he was an actor, he was the "everybody" in his life. In the film, Obama/Talmadge again, "I was the dollar and a half, my first pay day came around, and I was the dollar and a half."

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SAYS PILOT LIGHT ADDS HEAVILY TO GAS BILL

Brighton Man Charges Agents
Misrepresent Facts When
Installing Burners

The Boston American has received a letter of specific complaint from Mrs. W. E. Richardson of No. 21 Brookline road, Brighton, about the CEZ burners sold and installed by the Boston Consolidated Gas Company.

Mrs. Richardson complains particularly about the gas consumption of the pilot lights of the CEZ burners. She has found it to be more than 23 times the amount represented to him by the gas company's agent.

His requests that other gas consumers who feel that they have been misinformed regarding the pilot light cost of CEZ burners, and his statements of their experiences. He desires to inform the gas and electric light commission in order to establish responsibility of the gas company for such misrepresentation by its agents.

WAGES TO FIX BURNERS

His letter reads as follows:

"Some three years ago the Boston Consolidated Gas Company began an active canvass of the city for the purpose of persuading consumers to use the CEZ burners. These burners involve the use of a pilot light, which the agent of the company represented would burn no little gas that it possibly would not be registered by the meter at all, and if registered would not cost over 5 cents per hour.

"Ten of these burners were installed in my house. My gas bill immediately increased, and after some months I discovered that my meter registered for the pilot lights a consumption of gas very much in excess of the representation made by the agent of the company. The gas company was immediately notified of these facts in January, 1917, and that same day the agent of the company came to my house and told me to change my gas meter. This in no way remedied matters but rather increased evidence as I had accumulated and compelled me to accumulate new evidence on the new meter.

"After securing evidence of this kind upon three different meters, I recently brought the matter to the attention of the Massachusetts Electric Light and Gas Commission for investigation. They report that the latest form of pilot light of CEZ burners consumes 15-100 cubic feet of gas per hour. At these pilot lights run twenty-four days and 364 days a year, this means a total consumption by each pilot light amounting to 1,664 cubic feet per year, which, at the present price, would cost the consumer \$1.66.

"This is something of an increase over the cost of 5 cents per year as represented by the agent of the company. To be exact, it is slightly more than thirty-three times that representation. At this rate my ten CEZ burners have regularly added between \$1.66 and \$1.66 per month to my gas bill, or approximately \$1.99 per month, or approximately \$23.88 per year, for the three years that they have been in use in my home.

"THOUSANDS OF BURNERS USED.

"I am but one consumer out of thousands. Thousands and tens of thousands of these CEZ burners have been installed in this city and add hundreds of dollars to the gas bills of consumers, probably without their knowledge. They wastefully consume 1,664 cubic feet of gas per year apiece, and this at a time when conservation is urged as the patriotic duty of every citizen.

"An investigation seems to show that similar misrepresentations about these pilot lights were made by other agents of the gas company at other parts of the city. I desire full information upon this point. It would very much appreciate it if other consumers who have been thus misled would send me a statement to this effect to my Brighton address.

"I will be glad to bring such information to the attention of the electric light and gas commission for the purpose of establishing the responsibility of the gas company for such misrepresentations on the part of its agents. The more replies I receive the stronger the case I present.

"In the meanwhile shut off your pilot lights. This will deprive you of their convenience, which will probably a large factor in their installation, but it will reduce your gas bills."

A Boston American reporter found CEZ burners set up for demonstration at the gas appliance showroom of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company of West street.

A clerk said that the CEZ burner was put on the market, was set and were installed by the gas company.

The clerk was asked how much the pilot light consumed per month and he said the pilot light consumption would not amount to more than three cents per month.

Mr. Richardson states in his letter that, when the burners were installed in his house, the company agent represented that the pilot light gas consumption would run in not more than a third of a year.

The clerk at the showroom said that the company did not guarantee that the pilot light cost would not run to more than three cents per month.

If Gas Company Is Overcharging, Write to the American

So many glaring inconsistencies in the prices charged for gas in Greater Boston have come to the notice of the American, that this newspaper invites its readers to write to this office if they believe they have been subjected to unjust charges by local gas companies.

These letters should not be merely complaints. They should be accompanied by monthly statements from the company to back up the writers' charges.

INFANT PARALYSIS CASE FOUND AT MILFORD

Milford, March 8.—Milford has a case of infantile paralysis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Williams. The child, who is six weeks old, is sick at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Williams, No. 275 Main street. The case is mild, according to Secretary Francis H. Lally of the Health Board.

SMILE AT WORCESTER PROHIBITION "WAKE"

Worcester, March 8.—More than 1,000 persons attended a John Barleycorn wake in Mechanics Hall. In the coffin was a bottle of booze. There were no mourners, and instead of shouting tears the mourners smiled. It was the largest wake ever held in Worcester.

CHARGED WITH LARCENY OF POSTOFFICE BADGE

The searching of George Oliphant, otherwise called George Oliphant, of Second street, East Cambridge, by officers of the Jay street station, led to his arrest by Postoffice Department authorities, who charged him with embossing a postoffice badge from a clerk in the railway postal service. The badge is said to have been found on the prisoner. He pleaded not guilty and furnished bail of \$1,000.

Wife Charges Desertion

Mrs. Hilda E. Anderson of Cambridge has filed suit for divorce against her husband, Carl A. Anderson, of Bedford. They were married in October, 1917. She alleges desertion.

GEN. SWEETSER RETURNS TO MALDEN BENCH

After being absent for two years, Brigadier-General E. Leroy Sweetser, associate justice of the Malden District Court, appeared again in his accustomed seat at court today. His last appearance was on March 1, 1917.

WIFE ASKS FOR CHILDREN IN PETITION FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Sarah E. Conner of Cambridge has filed suit for divorce against her husband, Frank T. Conner, of Belmont. They were married in 1915. She alleges cruel treatment and non-support and asks for the custody of four children.

INDICT JAP DOCTOR ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Baltimore, Md., March 8.—Dr. Norio Ishida, the Japanese mental asylum who last December shot and killed Dr. George B. Wolf of Pennsylvania at the Shoppers-Park apartment house, has been indicted for murder by a grand jury here.

MEN'S SUITS
High-grade new Spring Suits for men and young men. Mostly fancy striped cassimeres, in the new waist line models—smart, correct and dressy—the last word in good clothes.

24.50

Jordan Marsh Company
Great Basement Store
The Famous Store Where a Store
For the Sale of the Low Expansion Merchandise

MEN'S SUITS
Only a limited number of these suits at this low price. Correct styles for men and young men. Plenty of light gray fancy mixtures.

12.50

TWO DAYS ONLY Monday and Tuesday

Boston's Big Monthly Economy Event

The sale that people wait for—the sale that never disappoints—where your money has the greatest purchasing power.

Infants' Wear

Infants' Bands, all wool and pull, 25c
Cassimere Hose, all sizes, white, 25c
Cotton Socks, 25c
Wool, Leggings, 1.85
Wool, Petticoats, 1.39
Sweater Rompers, fine quality, 1.00
Overalls, plain blue or blue and white, 59c

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One of the Season's Best Values

WOMEN'S COATS

9.98

Several good staple styles and serviceable materials. These coats will go quickly.

Women's Coats 15.00
Many very attractive and becoming models in this lot of coats. Some have fur collars. All are full lined. Made to sell at much more.

Women's Skirts 4.95
Some very pretty plaids in this lot of skirts, plaided and plain effects. Very low price for these skirts.

Neckwear
New Pleated Stole, hemstitched, white, blue, red, tan and lavender. 39c
Simple Neckwear, all this season's new different shapes and colors. 25c
Simple Neckwear, satin, white and blue, different styles. 50c
Simple Lace Round Collars, for men and women. 25c

Wash Fabrics
Krinkle Serracher, 27 in., short length, standard quality, even 25c
Imported Japanese Crepe, 19c
Fine Gingham, 27 inch, 23c
Large variety of stripes.

Embroideries
White Flouncing, 36 in., open, shirred pattern, embroidered on good quality lawn. 89c
White Flouncing, 36 in., solid white, 50c
Simple Neckwear, satin, white and blue, different styles, 50c

Knit Underwear
Women's Cotton Union Suits, long neck, sleeveless, lace. 69c
Women's Vests and Pants, extra long neck, sleeveless, lace. 49c
Women's Pink Union Suits, long neck, sleeveless, lace. 39c

Misses' and Children's Undermislms
Children's Knicker Drawers, trimmed with embroidery. 39c
Children's Drawers, made with embroidery. 19c
Misses' and Children's Skirts, trimmed with embroidery. 69c
Misses' and Children's Princess Skirts, trimmed with embroidery. 79c
Children's Crepe Bloomers, extra cut good and full. 50c

Special Purchase of 500 Excellent Spring Models

15.00 18.50 24.50

25 New Styles Mostly Navy Blues

These suits were just received from a high-class New York manufacturer. They include styles for all occasions. Large variety of different color combinations and fancy vestments. Many are trimmed with braid, fancy buttons and fancy buckles.

Dress Goods
All Wool Dress Peplum, 42 inch, navy blue only. 1.59
All Wool Dress Peplum, 42 inch, navy blue only. 2.55
Shirring Checks, 56 inch, in black and white. 1.75
Black Storm Serge, 36 in. The kind that were well.

Bed Clothing
Bedgowns, heavy double warp, hemmed. 3.50
Hemmed Bedgowns, splendid grade. 2.29
Bed Comfortables, filled with sanitary cotton. 2.98
Bed Comfortables, cotton filled, quilt size. 1.98
Camp Blankets, a limited quantity. 4.75

Flannels
Cottons Outing Flannel, heavy weight, gray checks and plaids. 25c
Plaid Flannel, well bleached, in plaid stripes. 19c

Silverware
Bread Trays, quadruple silver. 1.98
Sugar Shells, Rogers At silver plated. 1.98
Knife and Fork Sets, E. Wallace triple silver plated. 3.00
Safe and Pepper Shakers, glass. 2.95
Mayonnaise Jar, glass with silver plated. 49c

White Goods
White Voile, 44 in., suitable for waists and dresses. 39c
White Dimity, mill ends, 27 inch wide. 19c
White Dimity, 36 inch wide. 29c

Aprons
Burgundy Apron, lace trimmings with bow. 1.25
Burgundy Apron, percale and gingham. 1.50
Maid's Apron, trimmed with rick-rack. 75c

Linings
Plain Satin, 36 in., navy, burgundy. 89c
Plain and Fancy Venetian, 32 inches, good variety to choose from. Special for this sale. 59c

Corsets
Corsets, old lot, slightly mused. 1.98
Brassieres and Bandeaux, hook front models. 29c

Footwear
Little Men's Sewt Shoes, black and tan. 2.95
Boys' Sewt Shoes, black and tan. 3.25
Boys' Sewt Shoes, black and tan. 2.89

This Day in History—March 8, 1919

THIS is the anniversary of the death in 1702 of William III, King of England and Prince of Orange. A great general and a wise statesman, he never won a famous battle, yet defeated his enemies. Weakly all his life, his indefatigable will sustained him in his arduous career.

Three is a Crowd

A NEW PROBLEM IN COURTSHIP

A Young Man Complains Because He Can Never See the Girl of His Heart Without Seeing Her Girl Friend

By Beatrice Fairfax

A SPIRITED letter has just reached us from a young man who is desperately in love, but who feels that he is in a fair field, inasmuch as he is far from being the only youth in the position he describes. I am going to quote his letter.

"I am twenty-five years old, but I write you as though I were a child. I am a long series of semi-attractive, more or less pretty young girls who live at home, were obedient to their parents, did their best to please when I called, and were hysterically enthusiastic over a box of candy.

"I am tired of them. But I am tired of them because of my present abominable interest in a girl of another type, inasmuch as this girl is chaperoned and attended to by an arrangement such as no parent ever dreamed of. I am thoroughly in love and the object of my ardent affection keeps looking with another girl.

"I have you ever tried to break into an enclosure? My friend is twenty-two and a clerk in a lawyer's office. Her people live in Connecticut. She therefore shares a flat with a girl somewhat older than herself, and in a bathroom. This arrangement is a possible arrangement. But it happens that the girls in the house have what are called domes, and that the girls in the house have what are called domes, and that the girls in the house have what are called domes.

A Case of Resentment
"But that isn't the worst of it. What makes me is that it is impossible to see the girl I love without seeing the other. I go to spend an evening with this girl, and I go to spend an evening with the other, and I go to spend an evening with the other, and I go to spend an evening with the other.

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The Girl with Ideas
There is a question too that the girl who is unhappy at home or uncomfortable in a hall bedroom is likely to make better terms with her suitor, it is likely to marry him earlier and more happily than the girl who lives in domestic freedom and contentment.

La-May Face Powder
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FLAVOR & FRAGRANCE—SATISFACTION & ECONOMY
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CHASE & SANBORN'S
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Cil's Varieties—Pounds, Halves, Quarters

Good Manners Include Unpleasant Things Left Undone

Magazine Made

A Gardener at Ninety-five

Mrs. Thomas Edwards, of Ohio, Planning to Plant a Victory Garden This Year, as She Did Last



Mrs. Thomas Edwards, of Oberlin, Ohio, gave a bonus the value of that slogan, for she brought her age for gardening with her iron vials nearly fifty years ago.

Housewives Who Dared

By Loretta C. Lynch
T WAS said that some of her friends were looking for a place in which she lived, but she had her own home. She was a housewife who dared.

House Gowns for Spring

By Rita Syvassant
IN the spring when the grass is beginning to turn green, and the flowers are beginning to bloom, every woman should have a new house gown.

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STOMACH UPSET?
Get at the Root Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

Advertisement
MEGA
Sore Throat
Cold in Chest
Rob the chest or throat with Omega Oil, a pinch of salt with the Oil, and it will cure you. It is a piece of dry flannel, this simple treatment usually gives quick relief.

Learning Astronomy from the Moon

LOOK at the half moon just after sundown tonight and you will perceive that a line drawn through the middle of its convex side points to the sun. Look again when the moon has begun to decline toward the west, and you will see that it has tipped to the right so that the same line slopes downward, still pointing to the sun.

The Heart Breaker

A PRESENT DAY AMERICAN ROMANCE
Interesting Story of Love at Cross Purposes of Two Sisters and a Man

By Virginia Terhune Van de Wate
CHAPTER XLV.

Arthur Bruce noticed any change in his daughter's manner during the next few days he made no mention of it. Relations between the two persons who met each other constantly cannot long remain at high tension, and as days passed the feeling which had been so strong seemed to become normal once more.

At times it appeared as though the Bruce Contracting Company and the firm must go under in the event of changing conditions. Arthur's father looked twenty years older since he had been in the line of work. His hair had turned gray, and his eyes were sunken.

A Long, Hard Task
Katie and her father and son were working hard, and their work was not without its ups and downs. They were working hard, and their work was not without its ups and downs.

To Be Continued
The Hint
They were walking under a very little umbrella. He was modest and seemed to be nervous, and she felt that she was not so much more than a girl.

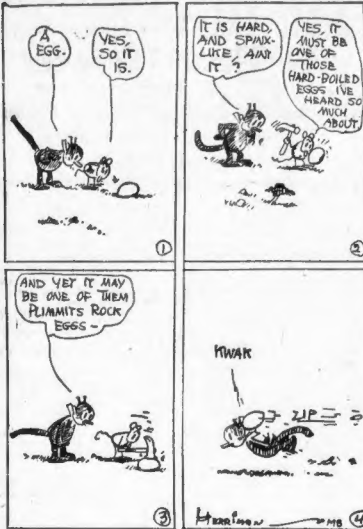
Going Back a Bit
A crowd had gathered at the back of the Cook and Countess, and several of the women were weeping. An old soldier was weeping of his long service, and he drew the long bow somewhat.

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Krazy Kat

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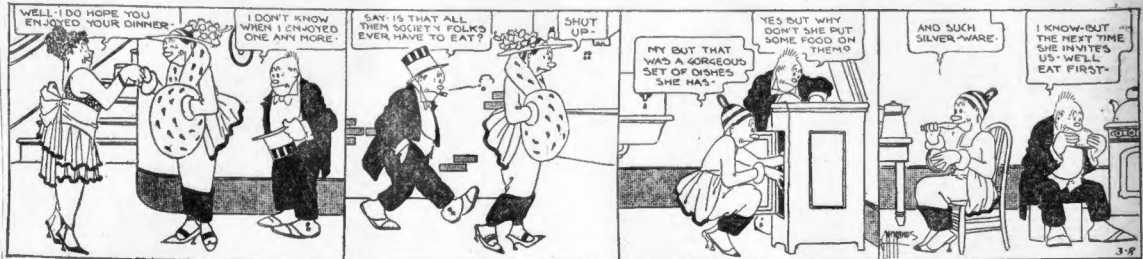
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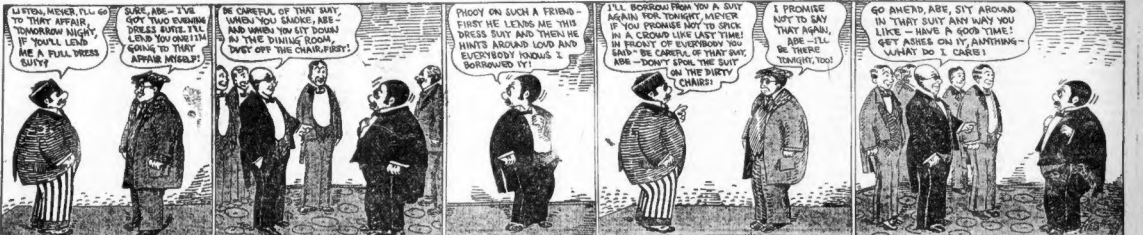
A Job That Requires Watching



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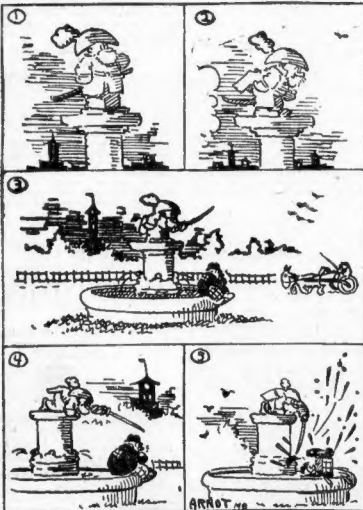
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Meyer's Worse When He Tries to Be Friends



THE GENERAL: A Statue Has a Right to Leaf, but Not a Live One

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POLLY AND HER PALS

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The Clock's All Right Till July



US BOYS

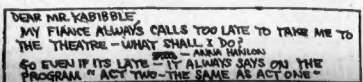
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Skinny Isn't So Very Sad Over Shrimp's Departure



Kabibble Kabaret

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9th C. MAMES ON CASUALTY LIST OF 133

Four Massachusetts Soldiers
included in Army Toll—28
on Marine Report

Washington, March 3.—Two casualty lists submitted today show a total of 133 names, divided as follows:

Died from wounds, 101 died from disease, 29 wounded (degree undetermined), 40 wounded slightly, 34. Nine are credited to New England, also one from a marine casualty list that totals 25.

This is the list:

MASSACHUSETTS.

Private Arthur Doyle, 36, 35 Marshall st., Somerville.

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CORPORAL
Major J. Day, 40, 35 Marshall st., Somerville.

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Death Rate at Army Camps in U. S. Shows Drop

Washington, March 3.—The death rate of the troops in the United States continues very good; says Surgeon-General Ireland's report on health conditions for the week ended January 23.

The death rate for disease during that week among the troops in this country was 6.5 as against 8.5 the preceding week. The rate for the week of February 23 of last year was 6.5. There were 197 deaths from all causes the week of February 23, as against 119 the preceding week.

The death rate and death rate will continue to be relatively high as the troops are further demobilized, as only the well men are discharged. Another factor that will contribute to a continued high rate here is the constant influx of sick and wounded to this country from overseas.

The American Expeditionary Forces, last week, had a death rate reported for the week, as compared with 1.23 for the preceding week.

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Real Estate—Miscellaneous.

Farm Opportunities in United States

If you are interested, write to the Farm Opportunities, 1111 Broadway, New York, N. Y. They will send you a free booklet containing full particulars about the various farm opportunities available in the United States. The booklet is written by a man who has been successful in securing large tracts of land in the West and is a valuable reference for anyone interested in farming.

Furnished Rooms—Miscellaneous.

WATERBURY

LIBERTY HOTEL

NEWLY built for professional and transient. 1111 Broadway, New York, N. Y. The Liberty Hotel is a modern, comfortable place with excellent service and facilities. It is a good place to stay for anyone who is in the city for business or pleasure.

Female Help—Miscellaneous.

WANTED CHOCOLATE DIPPER

TOURNAINE CO.

211 CHURCH ST., BOSTON. We are looking for a chocolate dipper for our factory. The person must be a woman, between 18 and 25 years of age, and must be able to work in a factory setting. If you are interested, please write to us at the above address.

Male Help—Miscellaneous.

Buy At This Bargain Store

50c a Week

LENOX JEWELRY CO. 1111 Broadway, New York, N. Y. We are having a special sale of jewelry at 50c a week. The sale includes a wide variety of jewelry, including watches, rings, and necklaces. If you are interested, please come to our store at the above address.

Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry.

Illinois Rockland

WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON WATCHES

1111 Broadway, New York, N. Y. We are having a special sale of watches at 50c a week. The sale includes a wide variety of watches, including pocket watches and wristwatches. If you are interested, please come to our store at the above address.

DEATHS

BARTLETT in Jacksonville, Fla.

WILLIAM B. BARTLETT

WILLIAM B. BARTLETT, 1111 Broadway, New York, N. Y. He died at Jacksonville, Fla. on March 3, 1919. He was 65 years of age. He was a well-known businessman and a member of the New York Stock Exchange.

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BOSTON AMERICAN

His Idea of Patriotic Effort

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Proposed World Government Would Destroy Democracy

The proposed constitution of the League of Nations would destroy democracy.

The world government it would erect would not be a government of the peoples, by the peoples, for the peoples.

It would be a government of the peoples, by the governments, for the governments.

There is no provision for elections, for referendums, for any expression of the people's will; no recognition at all of the right of any people to instruct their government how to act.

Instead, a council of governments decides what any and every people on earth must do—whether they must make economic war or military war, or espouse one side or the other side.

The people in every country would have absolutely no voice at all in their own government.

Now, that would not be democracy. That would be autocracy of the worst possible kind, autocracy which would make the overthrown autocracies look democratic by comparison.

Put in force, such a system of arbitrary government of the whole world by an Executive Council controlled by five members, four of whom would inevitably be appointed by the governments in power and not elected by their peoples, and there is no such thing as democracy left in the world.

Instead of having made the world safe for democracy we shall have destroyed democracy.

There never was on earth a more tyrannical government than the oligarchy which ruled Venice for centuries—the Council of Ten, of which the proposed Executive Council of the League of Nations is almost an exact copy.

We challenge any supporter of this scheme of universal government by an Executive Council of GOVERNMENT APPOINTEES to show one single recognition of the cardinal principle of democracy in the whole proposed constitution of the League.

The cardinal principle of democracy is the right of any people TO RULE THEMSELVES according to the will of the majority, freely expressed at the ballot boxes and ascertained by a count of votes.

Without this power to decide any and all questions of public concern by their votes, either indirectly by electing representatives or directly by initiative and referendum elections, no people can exercise sovereignty over themselves or can be a democracy.

That is self-evident.

Yet this proposed constitution makes no provision for submitting the most important question any people can decide—the question of war or peace—to the vote of any people on earth.

On the contrary, it expressly deprives every people of any voice in such a decision.

If this document should be subscribed to by us then a majority of the Council, consisting of one British government appointee, one French government appointee and one Japanese government appointee, could put the United States into a war with another country without the consent of the people of the United States and without even consulting the wishes of the people of the United States! We say that this is a monstrous proposition, and that it is impossible that we can remain a free people, governed only by our own consent, if we agree to this proposal.

There is no provision for the ELECTION of members of this Executive Council.

There is no provision for the submission of any question this Executive Council may decide to the vote of any PEOPLE.

There is no provision by which any people can register their DISSENT from a decision of this governing Council.

The only method by which any people can dissent from the arbitrary rulings of this autocratic Council would be by refusing obedience to it and backing up the refusal with arms and force.

There is no trace of recognition of any kind of the democratic principle or form of government by elected representatives, subject to the will of the people themselves.

The dominion of the whole world is turned over to the irresponsible and autocratic will of five men, not one of whom is elected by any people or who can be recalled by any people, or who is responsible to his people or to any other power, except the ruling government which appoints him to be one of the Governors of the World.

We say again that a place in such an unelected, undemocratic and irresponsible oligarchy as that is no place for a free, democratic, self-governing people.

We do not believe that the free-born people of the United States will ever consent to surrender their democratic liberties, their republican government, and their sovereign right to be ruled only by their own free consent and the express will of the majority of themselves to take a place as a subject nation, ruled by an arbitrary and autocratic Council of Nine, in whose decisions eight votes would be cast by foreigners and one vote only by the mighty democracy in which citizenship is our noble heritage.

And we do indeed believe that if mistaken sentimentality should lead us into the fatal error of abandoning our democratic liberties and national sovereignty to embrace this theory of irresponsible, autocratic, foreign rule, it would be only a matter of time until the people would again insist upon their ancient freedom of sovereign self-government, and would make their insistence good, either by WAR against any foreign coercion or REVOLUTION against any domestic coercion.

The blood of our brave and free fathers still runs red in the veins of too many of their sons ever to permit any attempt to subject this republic to the dominion of a foreign oligarchy permanently successful.

The very proposal is abhorrent to all the traditions of our glorious past; it is a repudiation of all our doctrines of free self-government. It is a shameful aspersion upon the great men whose wisdom and labors and sacrifices and valor laid the foundation and built the walls of our splendid edifice of democracy and self-government.

If the spirits of the mighty dead do, indeed, look down upon this land in which they lived in the flesh, with what amazement and consternation and pity they must behold this attempt to pervert their descendants to surrender the liberties they bequeathed to them and to submit to foreign control the destinies and the fate of this pulsant, mighty, glorious, invincible and splendidly free people!

God keep us from such a wreck of all that is dear and precious to true American hearts.



YE TOWN GOSSIP

By K. C. B.

WE HIRED Andy

AND HIS automobile.

AND WENT to Sacramento.

AND I asked Anna.

IF I could take the baby.

TO THE photograph gallery.

AND HAVE his picture taken.

WITH ITS great-curtain.

WHICH IS myself.

AND ANNE said yes.

AND WE went.

AND THE photograph man.

SPENT a lot of time.

IN SHOWING us samples.

AND TELLING us prices.

AND COLLECTING a deposit.

AND WRITING a receipt.

AND AFTER that.

WE ALL buried in.

TO WHERE the camera was.

BECAUSE THE photograph man.

SEEMED to have an idea.

THAT TAKING the picture.

WAS A minor incident.

AND BY that time.

HE HAD us all covered.

AND WE did what he said.

AND IN front of the camera.

ANNE GAVE me the baby.

AND I stood there.

WHILE THE camera man.

WENT UNDER the blanket.

AND LOOKED through the lens.

AND WHEN he came out.

HE MOVED my head.

TILL MY neck pained me.

AND MADE me stay there.

AND IN the meantime.

SO THE baby would smile.

HE HAD his mother.

STAND BACK of the camera.

AND WAVE her hands.

AND SAY, "Look at the pretty birdie."

AND SOME time.

WHILE THIS was going on.

HE SQUEEZED an atomizer.

AND LEFT the camera.

AND GAVE over to me.

AND TOOK hold of my head.

AND TWISTED it again.

AND MOVED the baby's hand.

AND THE baby moved it back.

AND THE camera man.

WENT BACK to the camera.

AND HID under the blanket.

AND CAME out again.

AND SQUEEZED the rubber.

AND THE third time.

HE HAD trouble with my head.

HE COULDN'T make it stay.

WHERE HE tried to put it.

WITHOUT BREAKING my neck.

AND I told him to go ahead.

THAT IT didn't matter.

SO LONG as the baby tried.

AND, ANYWAY.

ABOUT THREE days later.

HE SENT us the proofs.

AND I took.

AS THOUGH I was during someone.

TO TAKE the baby from me.

AND THE baby itself.

LOOKS AS though it had adenoids.

AND IT hasn't.

I THANK you.

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The Frog Pond

By Morton Birge

KEEP IT IN THE FRONT HALL.

What shall we call the coming \$150 driver—the Silverette?

MINUTE MEN

Springfield adv. for automobile palates announces: "Sixty cents an hour for eight hours. Two cents a minute for overtime."

CENTURY PLANT IN BUD

Engineers drilling in a line quarry in Lee report the deposit sufficient to run a big lime plant for a century.

NON-STOP PEDAGOGUES

Harvard Magazine protests that the University's \$1,000 instructors are paid less than tuition barstenders. But that will be fixed July 1. The barstenders won't have any job. The instructors' job will go merely on.

NAUTICAL COURSE IN SAVING DAYLIGHT

A bugler at First Naval District headquarters in the Little Building has been ordered to a seagull detail because he overstepped and a substitute bugler had to be called to blow "mating colors."

LITTLE SOFT MUSIC HERE

Soft drinks up a nickel. Soft collars up a nickel. Pretty soft—on the selling end.

STEALING KIPLING'S "STUFF"

The Geographic Board, at the request of the Postoffice Department, has added an "R" to California's stamp "Cal" and made the official abbreviation "Calif." The change was ordered to avoid California mail being scrambled with that for Colorado. The postal authorities have put the "R" in California, the same as Kipling put it into poetry.

IN THE INCOME LEAGUE

The federal income tax this year is figured to average \$80 per head for every man, woman and child in the country, it assessed every. Some bar below that average, other away over it. In this game of taxing there is no one seems to yearn for glory as a financial slugger. Those who strike out and are exempt make no kick to the umpire.

"LEST HE FORGET"

Our new Victory postage stamps, which are to be issued soon, will be just the thing to stick on any letters to the Kaiser.

Letters to the Editor

Married Women Workers

Editor Boston American:

I wish you would please publish this letter in your paper. Do you

or don't you think that the married women ought to give up working

in factories now to give the single girls and the boys that are

returning a chance to get a job?

These married women have a husband to support them. Some

have been working ever since they were married. Don't you think

now that in laying off help an employer ought to lay off the married women first and give us single

girls a chance to earn a good, decent

living? Is it any wonder a young girl some times sinks so low when she is turned out of work, and no home but a boarding house to resort to? You know nobody will help you if you can't pay your board. In the shop where I work are two-thirds married women who have worked in the shop ever since they have married, four and five years, and their husbands make good pay, while we girls who have worked there as long are being laid off.

Please publish this letter that factory owners may read it and in time wake up.

NORWOOD, MASS.

How German Master Spy Worked---

And Failed. His Own Dramatic Story TOLD FOR THE FIRST

TIME in Tomorrow's Advertiser and American, as CARL

LODY Revealed It to a British Secret Service Agent, the

Day Before He Was Shot in the London Tower—"The Germ

of Bolshevism Is Spread by the Bite of the Plutocrat," De-

clares WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN, in An Exclusive Arti-

cle, He Tells How REVOLUTION Can Be Made IMPOSSIBLE

and Bolshevism Prevented—T. P. O'CONNOR Contri-

butes Another of His Brilliant Discussions of England's Politi-

cal Problems—EDWARD N. HURLEY, of the U. S. Ship-

ping Board, Tells How We May Regain Our Old Proud Place

in the Maritime World—JOHN O'SULLIVAN, the Famous

Irish Tenor, Tells of France's Great Debt to Ireland and

Why France Should Help Ireland at the Peace Conference—

DR. STEPHEN WISE Sees a Jewish Commonwealth Arising

Soon "in the Land of Israel"—And Many Other Notable

Features!

BLOW THINKING gave Carl Lody to the fringesquad in London Tower. This master German spy sailed from America for England on the LUSITANIA, there traveled about freely, mingled with naval officers, disguised and believed to be one of them; worked in one of the most important navy yards in England and at the time of his capture had, British naval authorities declared, "about everything that could possibly interest an enemy regarding our navy." Allan Dodsworth, British Secret Service officer, tells in Lody's own words, how he worked—and how he failed.

"THE PLUTOCRAT SPREADS THE GERM OF REVOLUTION BY HIS BITE," says WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN, in a mastery article written exclusively for the Sunday Advertiser and American; "just as surely as the mosquito communicates the yellow fever germ, and the remedy is the same in one case as in the other. SAVE OUR COUNTRY FROM THE MENACE OF BOLSEHEVISM and the germ of revolution by destroying the breeding-places of plutocracy! . . . 'The times are out of joint,' and it is important that this, the greatest of republics, shall set an example and point the way to safety. By making evolution easy and natural we can make revolution impossible and indefensible. There is only one way—and that is to let the people have what they want in government. When they can secure at the polls whatever a majority of the people want, there is no excuse for 'mob law,' and with the INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM in operation there will be no last resort among intelligent people."

Marie Lescaut did right in killing her child. So a French court decided, and set a precedent for thousands of women and girls made unwelcome mothers by the brutality of German invaders. This verdict, without parallel in the world's history, is discussed with feeling and sharp division of opinion by well-known Boston authorities.

The Lloyd George government has SAVED THE COUNTRY from the peril of holding up all England's industries by a miners' strike, by the offer of an immediate LABOR COMMISSION, says T. P. O'CONNOR. England is taking gigantic forward steps these days—"ENORMOUS CONCESSIONS TO POPULAR UNEASINESS," O'Connor calls them.

Those were the good old days, when Yankee clipper ships carried from 60 to 80 per cent, of our own world trade, and the Star Spangled Banner waved triumphantly from ships in every port and every quarter of the sea, the world around. But with the opening of the Civil War, the sun of our maritime supremacy, which had shone since Revolutionary days, dropped into the sea. Now it looks like a new day was dawning for us. ENTER COAL OIL JOHNNY! He will rule the ships of the future. Now if we back our naval resources with national ingenuity, says EDWARD N. HURLEY, chairman of the United States Shipping Board, WE MAY REGAIN OUR OLD PLACE. It's largely a matter of production and supply—we have the petroleum, we have every facility for turning out the best type of motor ship, we have the most brilliant genius and we look like a cinch to beat Hurley says if we are to beat competition and hold our own, fifty-fifty—which is a reasonable aim—WE MUST PUT BRAINS INTO THE JOB—BRAINS TO THE UTMOST.

"Oss-Alarm," O'Connor, they called the "Fighting Priest," Chaplain Michael J. O'Connor of the 26th Division. He left off his own mask until sure all the boys had theirs on. Another interesting chapter in the story of the hero chaplain's thrilling experiences in camp and on the firing line—TOLD FOR THE FIRST TIME in the Sunday Advertiser and American.

JOHN O'SULLIVAN, the famous Irish Operatic Tenor, contributes a really notable article in support of IRISH INDEPENDENCE, "NOT ALONE TO AMERICA, BUT TO FRANCE, DOES IRELAND LOOK FOR AID in obtaining justice at the Peace Conference," he says, "For France owes Ireland a debt almost equal to that of America to France. Upon every field in which the French, fought, for a hundred years, Irish blood was shed, and Irish valor contributed to winning the day."

DR. STEPHEN WISE, the noted Rabbi and Jewish orator, believes that Palestine will not become an independent State at once; but that what the Jewish people hope for and have every reason to believe will come to pass, is that Great Britain shall receive from the League of Nations a mandate which will confer upon Great Britain the power and responsibility of trusteeship for a Jewish Palestine. And under this protectorate he sees a Jewish commonwealth arising soon in the land of Israel.

The signers to the "SIX MONTHS' PAY" Petition are piling up—4,000,000 of them now! When the new Congress convenes it will be presented—the LARGEST PETITION ever assembled in the United States! More about it tomorrow.

And remember—the SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' BUREAU exists but to SERVE. If you, soldier or sailor, need help or advice of any kind—this is the place to get it—Free!

"Treasure Island" to date—that is, dating July 1:

"Fifteen men on the dead man's chest—"

"Wo, ho, ho, and another milk-shake!"

—A little pleasant from "Tales of the Future," one of the fea-

tures of our REALLY FUNNY "Funny" pages. IT'S ALL good fun—but the TWO PAGES of "The Latest and Best in the World

of Wit" and "As the Funmakers See the News," last longer than the TWO PAGES of Comics, because there's more reading in them.

And you get a laugh in every line. Six pages in all—just for fun!

And tomorrow we give you—free—not one, but TWO SONGS, of the fifteen picked as the best of the thousand submitted every week. Hearst Newspaper, \$5,000 prize contest. Sousa, McCormack, Golden, Strankey and Berlin picked the fifteen, but YOU and the rest of the great general public are to be the final judges, you know—try 'em all on your plans, and then tell us who is entitled to the prize.